

As when, there came such hope . . .
 As to this our Nation that love conquers all,
 as their fine hearts so spoke!
 As a time when, mere men and women acted
 like Gods . . . So Wrote . . .
 So Wrote Their Book of Love, as Heaven for
 them lie close . . .
 Running up, into The Face of Hell . . .
 You Go . . . I Go . . . as was but their fine
 heroes creed, their actions spelled!
 As all of those fine hearts, so chose to swell
 . . .
 Running past death, as upward they climbed
 towards this fiery hell . . .
 With tear in eye, as they all knew that this
 might be their last moments as well!
 All in their most magnificent quest, but to
 save lives! As they were all so at their
 very best!
 With each new step, closer to Heaven they
 now so climbed . . .
 For on that morning, courage came in all
 shapes and sizes . . .
 All in what their fine hearts, as so comprised
 this!
 Setting them all apart, from all of the rest!
 Heroes, who our nation would so bless!
 And too, all of these families now so left . . .
 So left, without all of their greatest of loves
 of all, may our Lord now so bless . . .
 As each one but on their own, inside such sa-
 cred Hearts did rest . . .
 As to our Lord, they all came home . . .
 But, to where they belonged . . .
 And, what child may be born?
 From all of this, their great love so worn
 . . .
 Who might Save The World, as born?
 Mothers, Fathers, Rabbits, Teachers, Priests
 and Preachers, tell this story!
 All about, The Greatest Love . . . all about,
 Their Gotham Glory!
 And when, There Comes A Gentle Rain . . .
 Their tears from up in Heaven, shall wash
 down upon you to ease your pain . . .
 Until, up in Heaven you shall meet once
 again . . .
 And you won't have to cry any more!

TRIBUTE TO MR. HAWLEY SMITH,
 SR.

HON. PHIL GINGREY

OF GEORGIA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, August 10, 2010

Mr. GINGREY of Georgia. Madam Speaker, I rise today in honor of a long time friend, Mr. Hawley Smith, Sr., who is celebrating his ninetyeth birthday this month. For as long as I have known him, Mr. Smith has been tirelessly devoted to his community, church, and family.

Throughout the years, he has served Troup County in many different positions, and I'd like to mention a few that I know are most important to him. Mr. Smith was the first elected Chairman of the Troup County Board of Commissioners, and he remained in that position for 12 years. During this same time period, he helped to shape many other organizations like The Georgia Heart Clinic, the West Georgia Tech Foundation, the Troup County Chapter of the American Red Cross, and the West Georgia Youth Council—just to name a few. Notably, Mr. Smith is the longest continuous member of the Optimist club in the State of Georgia, and he is still active today. He also served as President of the Association of County Commissioners of Georgia, as Chairman of the Georgia Environmental Facilities Authority, as Vice-Chairman of the Georgia

Chamber of Commerce, and as Vice President of the Citizens and Southern National Bank. The list of leadership positions is nearly a page long, which is a testament to how much Mr. Smith cares for his community.

He has likewise given countless hours to First United Methodist Church of LaGrange—where he was as a member of the Building Committee, the Board of Stewards and served as the Treasurer and Trustee. His kindness and willingness to help others also led him to become the Director of The Harbor Incorporated, a home for the Christian rehabilitation of alcoholics.

He got married to Ms. Ercil Trussell in 1942 and they had 3 beautiful children together. A constant family man, Mr. Smith always tried to provide the best educational environment for his kids, whether that meant serving as the Neighborhood Commissioner for the Boy Scouts or working on the Board of Trustees for Rosemont Elementary School.

Madam Speaker, as you can see, Mr. Smith is a compassionate and selfless father, husband, and community member. I want to wish him a very happy ninetyeth birthday and thank him for his unwavering service to both Troup County and the great State of Georgia.

TRIBUTE TO VERNA NAYLOR

HON. JEAN SCHMIDT

OF OHIO

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

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Mrs. SCHMIDT. Madam Speaker, one of the best aspects of my job is the wonderful people from Southern Ohio that I have the opportunity to meet. I am often inspired by their stories, their struggles and their successes, and their commitment and dedication to bettering our communities. A few years ago I had the opportunity to meet one such person, Verna Naylor.

At the time, Verna was 91 years old and serving as Bentonville Postmaster in Adams County, Ohio. She was one of just 5 United States Postal Service employees over the age of 90. Her late husband, Harry, served as the Bentonville Postmaster until his death in 1968. At that time, Verna decided to take over the position, and greeted her customers each morning.

During the time that Verna served as Postmaster, she never took a sick day. She thrived on hard work, family and community. According to her son, James, "Mom just always wanted to help someone else and she would do anything for the people of Bentonville." And, her daughter, Sue, said, "There were many times where mom just opened her house to people, feeding them, giving them a place to sleep, and taking care of them."

Madam Speaker, Verna Naylor, the oldest female Postmaster in the U.S., passed away on July 6, at the age of 94. She was the heart and soul of Bentonville. Her tireless commitment and outstanding service to her community set a wonderful example for everyone she met. She will be missed.

Madam Speaker, I ask that the House join me in honoring the life of Verna Naylor.

MOTION TO TABLE THE APPEAL
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 LAME-DUCK PRIVILEGED RESO-
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HON. PAUL RYAN

OF WISCONSIN

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, August 10, 2010

Mr. RYAN of Wisconsin. Madam Speaker, I, along with Representatives DAVE CAMP of Michigan and JEB HENSARLING of Texas, submit the following statement for the RECORD with respect to the Motion to Table the Appeal of the Ruling of the Chair on the Price (R-GA) Lame-Duck Privileged Resolution.

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HON. ALCEE L. HASTINGS

OF FLORIDA

IN THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES

Tuesday, August 10, 2010

Mr. HASTINGS of Florida. Madam Speaker, I rise today to address the comments made by French President Nicolas Sarkozy that have caused quite the media flurry in the past few weeks.

On July 16, French police shot and killed a Romani man when he apparently tried to run a roadblock. This shooting sparked two days of rioting by some 50 members of his community damaging the local police station and private property.

In a story that has now been covered by the media from Vancouver to Moscow, French President Sarkozy subsequently announced